FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION



ENFORCEMENT BUREAU

NORTHEAST REGION

New York Office 201 Varick Street New York, NY 10014

July 29, 2011

County of Middlesex Plainsboro, New Jersey

NOTICE OF UNLICENSED OPERATION

Case Number: EB-11-NY-0211 Document Number: W201132380005

On July 23, 2011, in connection with an investigation, an agent from the New York Office observed staff persons at "The Meadows at Middlesex" golf course using handheld marine radios, Standard Horizon HX280s on the frequency 156.425 MHz (channel 68). The Commission's records show that no license was issued for operation on 156.425 MHz at this location in Plainsboro, New Jersey.

Radio stations must be licensed by the FCC pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 301. You are hereby warned that operation of radio transmitting equipment without a valid radio station authorization or providing services and facilities incidental to the operation of an unlicensed radio transmitter constitutes a violation of the Federal laws cited above and could subject the operator to severe penalties, including, but not limited to, substantial monetary fines, *in rem* arrest action against the offending radio equipment, and criminal sanctions including imprisonment. (*see* 47 U.S.C. §§ 401, 501, 503 and 510).

UNLICENSED OPERATION OF THIS RADIO STATION MUST BE DISCONTINUED IMMEDIATELY.

You have ten (10) days from the date of this notice to respond with any evidence that you have authority to operate granted by the FCC. Your response should be sent to the address in the letterhead and reference the listed case and document number. Under the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552a(e)(3), we are informing you that the Commission's staff will use all relevant material information before it to determine what, if any, enforcement action is required to ensure your compliance with FCC Rules. This will include any information that you disclose in your reply.

You may contact this office if you have any questions.

Daniel W. Noel District Director New York Office

Attachments:

Excerpts from the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended Enforcement Bureau, "Inspection Fact Sheet", March 2005